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Communicable Disease Report June 15, 2009

To: Health Care Providers
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Gallatin County Weekly Communicable Disease Report 6/3/09-6/9/09:

Reportable :

2 Campylobacter
2 Chlamydia
2 Lyme Disease
2 Influenza A
1 Dog Bite
1 Hepatitis C
1 Influenza B
1 Influenza H1N1
1 Shigella
1 Salmonella

Non- Reportable :

19 Streptococcus
1 Mononucleosis

**GCCHD 24/7 contact number: Call Dispatch 582- 2100 Ext.2,
ask to page Health Department**

GCCHD Update: Both Lyme Disease cases reported this week were acquired out of state.

Montana Communicable Disease Weekly Update: Summary- Weeks 21, 22– Disease reports received at DPHHS 5/24/09-6/6/09 included E. coli with HUS, non-0157 STEC, salmonellosis, a travel related Shigellosis, tick-borne RMSF & Tularemia, and Yersiniosis.

Novel Influenza A (H1N1) – As of June 5th, CDC is reporting 13,217 confirmed or probable cases of novel influenza A (H1N1) and 27 deaths. Montana is reporting 27 confirmed cases (no deaths) in 7 counties. Under the Emergency Use Authorization approved by FDA, the Novel (Swine) Influenza testing performed at the MTPHL is intended for the following specimen sources only: nasopharyngeal swab, nasal swab, throat swab, dual nasopharyngeal/throat swab, and nasal aspirate. Any other specimen source has not been validated and should not be submitted for testing.

Tick-Borne Diseases – There have already been 6 confirmed/probable cases of Rocky Mountain spotted fever, one Colorado Tick Fever, and one Tularemia to date this year. If virus-specific serum antibody titers are being used to diagnose tick-borne illnesses, the CDC surveillance case definitions for these diseases generally require BOTH acute and convalescent phase testing in order to confirm as a case. For more information on CDC surveillance case definitions: http://www.cdc.gov/eпо/dphsi/casedef/case_definitions.htm.

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